

## NOTICE OF INTENDED ACTION

The Arkansas Alternative Dispute Resolution Commission is in the process of revising its publication Requirements for the Certification of Mediators for Circuit Courts. The publication sets out minimum standards for the certification of persons eligible to serve as compensated mediators in and for Arkansas Circuit Courts. The Commission also intends to repeal the Guidelines for Mediation Skills and Qualifications.

The Commission intends to make these changes pursuant to the Arkansas Administrative Procedures Act. The public is invited to review a working draft of the proposed rules. Interested persons may obtain a copy and present their views by contacting the Coordinator for the Arkansas Alternative Dispute Commission at 625 Marshall Street, Little Rock, Arkansas, 72202. The telephone number is (501) 682-9400. All comments must be submitted in writing to the Coordinator, who will then distribute a copy of all comments to each member of the Commission for consideration.

The deadline for comment is August 29, 2003 at 4:00 p.m.